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Cravelers' Onibe. Passenger trains arrive at the Reynold ville station as follows:

Eastward. Westward. n. 9, - - 6.52 a. m. (Train 6, - - 7.29 a. m. 1. - 1.00 p. m. (Train 2, - - 1.42 p. m. 5, - - 6.50 p. m. Train 10, - - 5.08 p. m. REYNOLDSVILLE POST-OFFICE.

Malls arrive and and leave the post-offic

Arrive. Depart. FOR THE EAST. FROM THE WEST. 1.15 p. m. - - 7.00 p. m. 8.10 a. m. - - 12.30 p. m. FOR THE EAST. FOR THE WEST. 7.00 a. m. - - 2.00 p. m. 7.00 a. m. - - 1.15 p. m. Arrives from Rathmel and Prescottville 11.30 a. m.

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Arrives from Panic Tuesdays, Thurdays and Saturdays at 2.30 p. m.
Departs for Prescottville, Rathmel, Panic 3.00 p. m.
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LOCAL LACONICS.

We are now in the midst of "dog

Ladies' fine shoes all solid \$1.50 at

The picnic and excursion season is now in full bloom.

The hay crop is not as good this season as it was last. M. J. Coyl will open his new store to

the public this week. W. S. Ross has been doing some re-

pairing about the Ross House. The Jefferson County Medical associa

tion met at Brookville last Friday. C. J. Swartz has resigned his position

as cashier of the bank at Big Run.

The prospects are favorable for a nail and tack plant being located at Falls Creek.

The Prescottville band picnic held at Sykesville last Friday was quite a

Raspberries are plentiful this year, but the price of the berries is not cor-

Noah Syphrit and sons are among the number roaming over the huckleberry mountain this week.

Thos. W. Jenkins, of Lindsey, finds Reynoldsville a "Lulu" of a place to spend Sunday occasionally.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church netted a snug little sum at the lawn festival Saturday evening.

About fifteen passengers boarded the excursion train that left here at noon yesterday for Niagara Falls.

William Buzzard, the young man who cut his windpipe last week by falling upon an axe, is getting along

It is estimated that there are almost eight hundred children in Jefferson county between 6 and 16 years of age who do not attend school.

Rev. W. P. Murray, pastor of the M. E. church, will be present and occupy his pulpit next Sunday, July 31st, morning and evening.

It is reported that the chestnut crop will be a good one this year. Not the wormy journalistic chestnut, but the bright brown fruit of the tree.

John L. Sliffer, of Big Run, has a hankering for this section. He is a great Reed-er and consequently has had his name placed on THE STAR list.

A man whose mental faculties are somewhat deranged caused quite a commotion among some of the females on East Main street Monday afternoon.

Prof. E. C. Shields, formerly a teacher in this borough, has been chosen assistant principal of the Clearfield public schools, at a salary of \$70 per month.

A. J. Cressman's physique will no longer be seen around J. C. William's photograph gallery, as the young man has called it "quits" and will go else-

Fred Miller had his left thumb ripped up the middle by a pick in the hands of his "pard" last Friday morning while at work in Big Soldier. It was an

The Punx sutawney agricultural and driving park association has awakened from its lethargy and will give an exhibition on its grounds the latter part

Will Schultze's hand accidently came in contact with a window in Butler's barber shop last evening. A broken window and an ugly cut in the wrist was the result.

A little eight-year old girl of Luthersburg is suffering from a swollen arm which the DuBois Courier says may result seriously. She attended a picule and was bitten by a big bug

Aaron Rodgers, the marble cutter, done some very neat work on a marble slab to be placed at the head of Laura Stiver's grave, daughter of John T. Stiver of West Reynoldsville.

On account of the repairs going on at the Lutheran church it will be closed next Sunday and the Sunday school and the morning services will be held in the Odd Fellows hall on Main street.

A street soap fakir was the center of attraction on Main street Saturday evening. The gentleman was a fluent talker and gave an interesting lecture on the filthiness of all other soaps but the one he handles.

The members of the M. E. Sunday school who have not already got their tickets for the picnic Friday, can get them at this office between one and five o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Frank Ruster, who moved to Middlesborough, Kentucky, a few weeks ago, soon got tired of that state and has moved back to Pennsylvania. He is now a resident of East Stroudsburg. Monroe county, Pa.

A jolly party started for the huckleberry ridge last evening, composed of the following: Lulu E. Faust, Susie Reynolds, Lillie McCreight, Daniel Strouse and wife, Will, Mabel, John, Stella, Charley and Annie Strouse.

Frank J. Black, proprietor of Hotel McConnell, originated a novel plan last week for keeping the flys off his guests while they succumb to the wooling influence of morpheus during daylight hours. Nothing slow about Frank.

David Wheeler's team created some excitement on Hill street early Monday norning by taking a little whirl around the square without a driver. The buggy was upset and the top thereof demolished, otherwise no damage done.

David Stauffer, a groceryman of West Reynoldsville, has returned from a visit to Altoona, Creston, Ebensburg, Johnstown, New Florence and a dozen other places. He took the jaunt for the benefit of his health and feels greatly recuperated.

Young James Butler, of Grant street, is quite a genius. He is continually getting up something new to ride on. The same material, with the necessary re-arrangement, will be furned into a cart, wagon, velociped or bycicle. He has other contrivances.

A howl has gone up from the DuBois Courier because their water works are not a success. During wet weather they have no trouble, but in the dry season their supply is limited. Reynoldsville people have reason to rejoice because we are blessed with a good water supply.

Reverend Jenkin, the man of color who is holding campmeeting at different places in this section, is giving Reynoldsville the "go-by." The night his meetings closed at DuBois, after the services, the floor was cleared, Roscoe's orchestra was on hand and the young folks engaged in a dance.

John Gold, a man employed as a brakeman at the Jefferson mine, Coal Glen, met with an accident Monday afternoon that cost him his life. He was engaged in polling cars and had his leg crushed from four inches below the knee to about six or seven inches above the knee. The man died Monday evening.

E. W. McMillen, the gentleman who has a saw mill on A. D. Deemer's land near Reynoldsville and who is having an immense amount of bark delivered to the tannery here, narrowly escaped one day last week from being ground under the wheels of a heavy lumber wagon, loaded with bark, by being thrown from the wagon. A few bruises were the only results.

Mrs. Charles Arnold, whom we mentioned last week as being near the portals of death, died Saturday afternoon and was buried in the Catholic cemetery at Brookville Monday afternoon beside the little grave of her baby, that had been buried the week before. A husband and three children mourn the loss of an affectionate wife and loving mother.

Rev. A. B. Philips, of Forestville, N. Y., preached an able and eloquent sermon in the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday morning on "The Immortality of the Soul." His text was found in Job xiv: 14,"If a mandie shall he live again?" The subject is a momentous one and the Reverend handled it in a masterly manner, his arguments were logical and his thoughts beautiful.

The Sunday school of the Trinity Lutheran church will hold its annual mission festival on Wednesday, August 3rd in Reynolds' grove near town. Rev. D. M. Kemerer, of Pittsburg, and Rev. A. R. J. Grapple, of Ridgway, are expected to be present and make addresses appropriate to the occasion. All who desire to spend the day profitably and pleasantly with said school are cordially invited to be present.

The base ball nine went over to Big Run Saturday to play with the nine of that place. The game was a good one up to the seventh inning, each nine having but one score. The Reynoldsville pitcher went to bat and was hit on the muscle of the right arm which settled his pitching for that game. The Big Run boys got twenty scores in the last two innings making the game

21 to 1 in favor of the Big Run nine. Silver Lake, the place to which the excursion of the Jr. O. U. A. M. are to go to on Sunday, July 31st, is a beautiful sheet of water three and one-half miles long and one and one-half miles wide: situated sixty miles southeast of Buffalo and fifty miles southwest of Rochester on a spur of the B., R. & P. Railway. There is a fine fleet of sail, steam and row boats; good fishing, bathing, &c. The campmeeting is in session from July 20th to August 20th. It is a cool, heathful, restful summer resort from which the visitor always leaves with regret for fear their eye may never again rest on a scene so beautiful. hearing yesterday.

Cut His Leg.

Daniel Hamilton, a woodsman who was working on David Brumbaugh's job, slipped and fell last Thursday afternoon with an axe in his hand. The axe struck him on the left leg. below the knee, cutting an ugly wound three inches in length.

A Big Sprout.

Curt Strouse came into town last Friday with a curiosity that he found in their cellar. It was a potato with the longest sprout attached that we have ever seen. The sprout measured eight feet, two and one-quarter inches. There was another sprout on the same potato but it was only four feet two inches

Cold Wave and Frost Warnings.

H. Alex. Stoke received a communication a few days ago from the Chief of the Weather Service Division of the U. S. Department of Agriculture at Washington, stating that it is proposed during the coming autumn of this year and spring of 1893 to telegraph warnings of anticipated frosts to each weather signal display station, which receives forecasts by telegram, at government's expense.

Farmer's Day.

Next Friday will be "Farmer's Day" at the Clarion Assembly. A large number of tillers of the soil, with their main stand-bys-their wives-are ex pected to attend the Assembly that day. Three excellent speakers, Mortimer Whitehead, Leonard Rhone, Master of the State Grange, and J. T. Ailman, are booked for addresses on that particular day. All interested in farming should not miss this opportunity of enjoying the privileges afforded by the Assembly.

It was the Cat.

Jacob Sutter paraded through his nice new home one night last week with a shot gun in his hand looking for what he supposed to be robbers who were making an attempt to rob him of his earthly possessions. A careful search was made but no one found. Mr. Sutter returned to his room and soon heard the same noise again. He went down stairs, opened the pantry door and there found the secret of the disturbance. The Tom Cat had been accidently shut in the pantry and was making desperate attempts to gain his

Never Could Read.

C. F. Hoffman, the jeweler and optician, may be an expert in fitting glasses on the eyes, but he has learned by experience that he is unable to furnish glasses that will enable a man to read who has sadly neglected his school day opportunites and cannot distinguish words and characters. The optician tried two or three pair of glasses on his patient, each time handing the gentleman a card and propounding the question, "can you read now?" The optician received the same answer every time, "I can't read." Finally Mr. Hoffman comprehended the situation and gave the man glasses with which he could see, but not read.

Sunday Resort.

The swing near the tannery is becoming a rendezvous for beer guzzlers. card players and women of disrepute Profanity, obscene language, fights, &c., are the amusements of the day. Some young men visit the place who pose as respectable people, while the majority are the seum of a certain locality. The young man who has so far lost his respect for decency as to be found in such a gang cannot complaim if he is classed with them. It would be well for the officers of Winslow township to see that such a cankerous spot on common decency be amputated immediately.

Dry Weather Republicans.

Announcements were made last week in both the town papers, and quarter sheet bills were posted up, stating the Republicans of Reynoldsville borough and vicinity would meet in Centennial hall last Friday evening for the purpose of organizing a Republican marching club. The meeting was a complete fizzle. A friendly shower, lasting about ten minutes, visited the town at eight o'clock, which is accredited for the non-attendance of the Republicanism of Reynoldsville. The enthusiasm of the followers of Harrison and Reid must be at a low ebb during the present hot weather.

Wages of Sin.

The good book tells us that "the wages of sin is death." A young man of DuBois came very nearly pushing the veil of eternity aside and stepping behind it on account of his proclivity to tread in unforbidden paths. Thursday night of last week James Murphy and four or five boon companions were not seeking their "virtuous couches," but were following three young ladies whom they thought were not of good repute. The young men were warned to retrace their steps and not follow the girls, who live several miles from DuBois, but they heeded not the advice given until two or three whizzing messengers from a revolver gave warning. James Murphy was shot in the head. The girls were taken to Clearfield Saturday and placed in jail and were to receive a

Church Repaired.

Repairs have been going on at the Lutheran church for the last three weeks, inside and outside, which improves its appearance very much and makes it a beautiful little church. It will be re-opened with special services on the first Sunday in August. Ministers from abroad will be in attendance. Rev. D. M. Kemerer, of Pittsbyrg, will preach in the morning and Rev. J. H. Ritter, of Shannondale, Clarion county, is expected to preach in German in the afternoon at 3 o'clock and in English in the evening. The general public is kindly invited to be present at all these

Almost Resulted in Death.

Two Reynoldsville boys, Frederick Johnston and Chester Belnap, both about eight years old, found a pint of whiskey in Belnap's cupboard Monday afternoon. The boys sampled the liquor until there was very little left in the bottle. Both lads become intoxicated. Young Johnston must have taken the largest sample, as it was a matter of life and death with him for awhile. Johnston was found upon the street about 4:30 in a paralized condition. A doctor was called who administered antidotes, but not until three o'clock Tuesday morning was the boy conscious. The little fellow was in a critical condition for some time. The Belnap boy was found in the barn, although very drunk, yet not in a dangerous condition.

Trip to the Mountains.

The huckleberry party last week composed of Hays, Mincer, Westenburg, Dunn, Rhodes, Schultze and Scott had their first experience at West Liberty when a "spalpeen" of that place threw a piece of iron and hit Mr. Dunn on the head, cutting a hole through his hat and into his head. After arriving at their destination one of the horses came very nearly going to "horseland." but was induced to remain on this mundane sphere a little longer by having a quart of rank liquid "snake poison killer" poured down its throat. The fellow who had provided so carefully against the reptile's bite, stood by with a sad countenance and watched the "fire water" disappear. Nothing but the thoughts of walking home could have induced him to part with the liquor.

Only a Lie.

It was rumored on the streets to considerable extent that some women were out in the Big Soldier berry patch last week and there found a child about two years old that had cried itself almost to death and the women could find no one who claimed the waif, and that one of them brought the child home with her. The little fellow could say "papa," 'mamma" and "Tommy." There were other facts that would indicate that there was some foundation in the strange case. An investigation was made by a representative of this paper and it was found to have been a "yarn" spinned by one skilled in that especial line. The only foundation for the story was the fact that at least one woman was at Big Soldier and heard a baby cry. Our informant thinks the baby must have been forsaken by its mother, but she did not go to see.

We Need It.

A very important question now staring the citizens of Reynoldsville in the face is that of sewerage, and at no distant day the people will find it necessary to grapple the question in an carnest manner if we are to become a flourishing town, and whether we will it or not, a business boom is slowly, but surely creeping in upon us. There are many reasons why we should have a good sewer system here, and there are no reasons, save an outlay of a little cash, why we should not be thus protected from filth and disease that accumulate where sewers are neglected. Not only the sewer question, but there are others of importance to the town which we expect to devote space in bringing before the people in the near future. We do not want to give the people an overdose of improvements at one time and will, therefore, take up one subject at a time.

Wrenched His Back.

Even a burgess gets into "slippery places" unless he is wary. Monday of ast week our worthy magistrate, in company with H. H. Mincer, the terror to evil doers, A. E. Dunn, and a few others, hied himself to the mountainous regions of Clearfield county, where the tempting unsophisticated huckleberries lure many lovers of exciting adventures, and while he was standing on a rock in the solitude of the "snakland" meditating upon the responsibility that rests on a man who is elected to act as burgess of Reynoldsville, his foot slipped and quicker than he can say, "five dollars and costs," he thought about seven hundred inhabitants of the nether regions were having a "ho-down" in the neighborhood of his spinal column. A buggy was procured and Harry Mincer brought Mr. Hays into the inhabited part of the county, and word was sent to Reynoldsville and Ed. C. Burns took a carriage and went after the disabled officer. Mr. Hays has since been spending most of his time reclining on the soft side of a lounge.

About 100 teachers from Clarion and adjoining counties are expected to

All for Five Dollars.

The much talked of McCreight-Ayres "false teeth case," which was brought so prominently before the public on the eve of Miss Ayres' marriage, was tried before Esq. E. T. McGaw last Friday. The participants in this hubbub are Dr. J. S. McCreight and Mrs. Liella Snyder. ere Ayres. The charges against the dentist were trespass and debonisas portatis, and amount of damage claimed, \$299.994. Almost the entire day was spent in giving testimony and hearing the attorneys pleas. C. Mitchell appeared for the plaintiff and M. M. Davis for the defendant. Esq. McGaw will withhold his decision until the 30th inst. Dr. McCreight done dentist work for Miss Ayres almost one year ago. A bill was presented and paid, but at that time the teeth were on a temporary plate and were afterwards placed on a permanent plate. The plaintiff claims the bill paid included the permanent plate, while the defendant claims it did not. The matter was not satisfactorily adjusted and on the evening before Miss Ayres' marriage the doctor called on the young lady, as he was going away for a few days, and asked that the account be settled. The young lady claimed that as the five dollars was for repairing the teeth, that she did not owe it to him, and, therefore, would not pay what she did not owe. She gave the doctor the teeth to look at. The conversation waxed warm and the doctor left the house with the teeth in his possession, saying he would leave them with a justice and they could be returned to the mouth of the soon to be bride when the "V" was paid. The prospective bride employed another dentist and before the dawning of the delightful day a new set of teeth was ready to be present at the wedding. Thus the above case was the outcome of a difference of five dollars between the parties. In all probability the judge of Jefferson county will hear a recital of the entire case before the ending thereof. A Rural Chap's Experience.

An unwary youth from the rural district came into Reynoldsville Saturday and about noon went, into the store of S. Ellis to look around and perhaps make a purchase. During his visit in the store an altercation took place over a pair of shoes which resulted in the young man getting a bad looking eye. The young man's story places all the blame on the Jews, while they claim he wanted trust and as they would not grant it, he was going to carry the shoes away with him without their permission and for that reason a lump raised near his left eye about the size of a hen egg. The young man got a warrant out for the merchants which was placed in the hands of Chief-of-Police Adelsperger. After the warrants had been served the chief-of-police took the rural chap in charge, for whom he had been looking since the 2nd of July, the young man having that night broken a whisky bottle on the head of an inoffensive Swede. William Bailey, the culprit, was locked up for several hours. The merchants, whom he had arrested, settled with him for about twenty dollars, just enough to get him out of his difficulty. The young man was thus enabled to square accounts with the law and return home with a mournful eye.

Jefferson County Schools. The following statistics of the public schools of Jefferson county, for the year ending June 6, 1892, were gleaned from the Brookville Democrat last week: School houses in the county, 181, school rooms, 238; whole seating capacity, 11,870; houses without sufficient seating capacity, 4; school houses built during the year, 6; good school houses in the county, 174; number of rooms with suitable furniture, 175; number of schools in the county, 236; whole number of pupils enrolled, 11,540; estimated number of children between 6 and 16 years of age not in schools, 772; number of graded schools, 81; schools in which the Bible is read, 235; number in which any of the higher branches are taught, 8; male teachers employed, 123; female teachers employed, 122; average age of teachers, 24; schools visited by the county superintendent, 203; schools visited by directors, 225; number of directors constituting school boards. 192; number of provisional certificates granted, 224; number of professional certificates granted,14; number of applicants rejected, 95.

Are They Here?

Burgess Hays received a communication from the secretary of the State Board of Health last week as follows:

OFFICE BOARD OF HEALTH, PHILADELPHIA, July 18, '92. DEAR SIR:—The steamship Indiana, which arrived at the Port of Philadelphia, July 11th, 1892, had on board two cases of small pox. Eight of her immi-grants were destined for your town. It will, therefore, be for the interest of the public health that you should keep all immigrants arriving at that date by said steamer under close observation for said steamer under close observation for a period of two weeks.

BENJAMIN LEE, M D., Sec. State Board of Health.

A Jersey Lost.

Lost on Wednesday evening between the Presbyterian church and Fuller's hill a lady's black Jersey coat. The attend the Summer Term of Clarion | finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at THE STAR office.

PERSONALS.

M. Fred Reed is visiting friends at

Miss Minnie Smith visited friends in Ridgway last week.

Mrs. M. J. McEnteer went to Pittsburg Tuesday morning.

Mrs. J. H. Kaucher and son, Clifford. ere in Clarion this week.

Mrs. C. Mitchell was in Brockwayville several days last week.

Geo. Mellinger and wife were at unxsutawney last Sunday. Will, H. Bell and bride returned to

Reynoldsville Monday evening. E. Keck, of Baxter, Pa., tarried a

day in Reynoldsville last week. James Barkley, of Big Run, was in

Reynoldsville Monday afternoon. Alex. Riston, the eigar king of Revn-

oldsville, was in Pittsburg last week. H. O. King, of near Brockwayville,

isited Reynoldsville friends last week.

Mrs. N. Hanau and Miss May Iseman visited friends in Brockwayville last Wm. Burke, of Pittsburg, visited his

parents at this place during the past wook. Mrs. Smith, of Wrightsville, Warren

county, N. Y., is visiting her son, O.F. Smith. Father Desmond, of Coalport, Pa.,

was the guest of Father Brady last Friday. Mrs. Henry A Reed is visiting friends at Marien and Greenville, Indiana

Mrs. D. C. Oyster, of Ridgway, was the guest of Mrs. M. Mohney several days last week.

Miss Ada Hoon and Miss Stella Roscoe, of DuBois spent Sunday with the Misses, Butler.

Mrs. Margaret Snell, of DuBois, was a guest at Samuel Lattimer's several days last week. Capt. Brinker, of Buffalo, N. Y., was

the guest of Mr. Geo. Mellinger several days during the past week. Wm. Copping and wife, Mrs. Jane Ann Barkley and Mrs. Kearn drove to Clarion

Assembly Monday evening. George Hetherington, of DuBois, visited his mother, Mrs. A. E. Hethering-

ton, the milliner, last Thursday. Rev. J. C. McIntire filled several of Rev. Jas. H. Jelbert's appointments on the Emerickville charge Sunday.

Mrs. C. E. Andrews, of New Bethlehem, visited her daughter, Mrs. M. J. McEnteer, several days last week. Mrs. Arthur Murray, of Punxsu-

tawney, Sunday with her sister Mrs. Chas. Barry in West Reynoldsville. Ed. C. Burns, chairman of the Republican county committee, and Esq. E. Neff

were at the county seat yesterday. S. T. Daugherty was in Clarion county last week looking after his father's

estate, of which he is administrator. Mrs. Ann Gibson, who has been in Punxsutawney for some time, returned to Reynoldsville Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Humphrey, of Richardsville, spent Sunday with Mrs. Humphrey's brother, J. C. Williams.

John R. Elder and wife, of Beechtree. drove to Reynoldsville Monday evening

and returned home Tuesday evening. Mrs. Jacob Sutter and daughter. Lizzie, were at Portland, Elk county, last week visiting Mrs. H. P. Thomp

John Lord was called to Flemington, Clinton county, last week to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law. Thomas

Mrs. Lyda P. Miller, of Punxsutawney, who tarried a week in Reynoldsville after the editorial jaunt, returned home Monday. Mrs. E. J. Weed, of Weedville, Pa.,

M. E. Weed, of this place, during the past week. Miss Mary Saxton, who has been in Clearfield for sometime, engaged as a

has been visiting her sons, A. B. and

clerk in a dry goods store, is at home on a vacation. Mrs. J. W. Green, of Brockwayville, was in Reynoldsville last week visiting her son, E. Will Green, foreman of the

Volunteer office. Miss Ella Wiant, who has been in Philadelphia the past year, returned home Monday evening, and is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. S. Armagost.

Prof. W. E. Eshelman, formerly a teacher in the borough schools, who has been at New Orleans for some time, was visiting his Reynoldsville friends last Tom Mitchell, who has been in Rich-

mond, Ky., for the past nine month, is at home on a three week's visit. Tom is well pleased with that section of the country.

J. F. Alexander and wife went to Chautauqua last Friday. They will enjoy a few days at that delightful summer resort and will also visit Mrs. Alexander's parents at Jamestown, N.Y.

Mrs. Alice A. Sweet, of Muldrow, Indian Territory, after a three month's visit with her mother and brothers, the Carls, started for her home Monday morning. This was Mrs. Sweet's first visit to this section of the country in this team years.

thirteen years. Ralph E. Scott, an erst while Reyn-oldsville boy, now of Portland, Elk-county, was in town several days last week visiting his former boon compan-ions. Ralph's upper lip is now covered with black hirsute, which gives him a manly appearance.

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